This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listing, of claims in the application.

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1. (currently amended) A method of distributing vehicle control information, comprising:

determining vehicle control information~~, the vehicle control information being dependent on at least one of: (i) time information, (ii) operator information, and (iii) vehicle information~~ associated with an operator of a vehicle; and

transmitting the vehicle control information to a vehicle device.

2. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the vehicle control information is further associated with at least one of: (i) an intersection control signal, (ii) a speed limit, (iii) a merge indication, (iv) a parking regulation, (v) a direction of travel, (vi) location information, (vii) an allowable vehicle action, and (viii) a prohibited vehicle action.

3. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the vehicle control information is ~~dependent on time information, and the time information is~~ further associated with at least one of: (i) a time of day, (ii) a day of week, and (iii) a date.

4. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the vehicle control information ~~is dependent on operator information, and the operator information~~ is associated with at least one of: (i) an operator identifier, (ii) an operator category, (iii) an operator age, (iv) an operator license, (v) insurance information, and (vi) subscription information.

5. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the vehicle control information ~~is dependent on operator information, and the operator information~~ is associated with at least one of: (i) an operator preference, (ii) an indication type, (iii) a display location, (iv) an indication duration, and (v) a threshold level.

6. (currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the vehicle control information is ~~dependent on vehicle information, and the vehicle information is~~ further associated with at least one of: (i) a vehicle identifier, (ii) a vehicle category, (iii) a vehicle weight, (iv) a vehicle height, and (v) item information associated with the vehicle.

7. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein said transmitting is performed at least one of: (i) periodically, (ii) when communication with the vehicle device is possible, (iii) based on a location of the vehicle device, and (iv) upon a change in vehicle control information.

8. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein said transmitting is performed in response to a request received from the vehicle device.

9. (original) The method of claim 8, wherein the vehicle control information is determined based on the request.

10. (original) The method of claim 8, wherein the request indicates a direction of vehicle travel.

11. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein the vehicle control information includes a plurality of vehicle control values and associated rules.

12. (original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

transmitting the vehicle control information to another vehicle device.

13. (original) The method of claim 1, further comprising at least one of: (i) transmitting a request to the vehicle device, and (ii) receiving a confirmation from the vehicle device.

14. (original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

receiving the vehicle control information from a central controller.

15. (original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

transmitting location information associated with the vehicle control information.

16. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein said transmitting is performed via at least one of: (i) a wireless communication device, (ii) a Bluetooth device, (iii) an Internet device, (iv) a telephone device, (v) a vehicle device, (vi) a portable computing device, (vii) a personal digital assistant, and (viii) a pager.

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17. (original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

storing the vehicle control information.

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19. (currently amended) An information controller, comprising:

a processor; and

a storage device in communication with said processor and storing instructions adapted to be executed by said processor to:

determine vehicle control information associated with an operator of a vehicle~~, the vehicle control information being dependent on at least one of: (i) time information, (ii) operator information, and (iii) vehicle information~~, and

transmit the vehicle control information to a vehicle device.

20. (original) The information controller of claim 19, wherein said storage device further stores an information controller database.

21. (original) The information controller of claim 19, further comprising:

a communication device coupled to said processor and adapted to communicate with at least one of: (i) the vehicle device, (ii) a central controller, (iii) a payment device, (iv) a third-party device, and (v) another vehicle device.

22. (original) The information controller of claim 19, further comprising:

a back-up power source.

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23. (currently amended) A medium storing instructions adapted to be executed by a processor to perform a method of distributing vehicle control information, said method comprising:

determining vehicle control information associated with an operator of a vehicle~~, the vehicle control information being dependent on at least one of: (i) time information, (ii) operator information, and (iii) vehicle information~~; and

transmitting the vehicle control information to a vehicle device.

24. (currently amended) A method of distributing vehicle control information, comprising:

receiving at a vehicle device vehicle control information associated with an operator of a vehicle~~at a vehicle device, the vehicle control information being dependent on at least one of: (i) time information, (ii) operator information, and (iii) vehicle information~~; and

arranging for the vehicle control information to be provided to an operator.

25. (original) The method of claim 24, wherein said arranging is further based on location information.

26. (original) The method of claim 24, wherein said arranging comprises providing at least one of: (i) text information, (ii) image information, (iii) audio information, (iv) dashboard information, and (v) head up display information.

27. (original) The method of claim 24, further comprising:

comparing vehicle operation with the vehicle control information; and

providing an alert to the operator based on said comparing.

28. (original) The method of claim 24, further comprising:

arranging for a vehicle to operate in accordance with the vehicle control information.

29. (original) The method of claim 24, further comprising:

determining operator information.

30. (original) The method of claim 29, further comprising:

transmitting the operator information to an information controller in a request.

31. (original) The method of claim 29, wherein said arranging comprises:

arranging for the vehicle control information to be provided in accordance with the operator information.

32. (original) The method of claim 29, wherein said determining is associated with at least one of: (i) an operator identifier, (ii) a vehicle key, (iii) an operator license, and (iv) a biometric identification.

33. (currently amended) The method of claim 24, wherein the vehicle control information is further associated with at least one of: (i) an intersection control signal, (ii) a speed limit, (iii) vehicle merge information, (iv) a parking regulation, (v) a direction of travel, (vi) location information, (vii) an allowable vehicle action, and (viii) a prohibited vehicle action.

34. (currently amended) The method of claim 24, wherein the vehicle control information is ~~dependent on time information, and the time information is~~further associated with at least one of: (i) a time of day, (ii) a day of week, and (iii) a date.

35. (currently amended) The method of claim 24, wherein the vehicle control information is ~~dependent on operator information, and the operator information is~~ associated with at least one of: (i) an operator identifier, (ii) an operator category, (iii) an operator age, (iv) an operator license, (v) insurance information, and (vi) subscription information.

36. (currently amended) The method of claim 24, wherein the vehicle control information is ~~dependent on operator information, and the operator information is~~ associated with at least one of: (i) an operator preference, (ii) an indication type, (iii) a display location, (iv) an indication duration, and (v) a threshold level.

37. (currently amended) The method of claim 24, wherein the vehicle control information is further dependent on vehicle information, and the vehicle information is associated with at least one of: (i) a vehicle identifier, (ii) a vehicle category, (iii) a vehicle weight, (iv) a vehicle height, and (v) item information associated with the vehicle.

38. (original) The method of claim 24, wherein said receiving is performed at least one of: (i) periodically, (ii) when communication with an information controller is possible, (iii) based on a location of the vehicle device, and (iv) upon a change in vehicle control information.

39. (original) The method of claim 24, further comprising at least one of: (i) transmitting a request to an information controller, (ii) receiving a request from an information controller, and (iii) transmitting a confirmation to an information controller.

40. (original) The method of claim 24, wherein the vehicle control information includes a plurality of vehicle control values and associated rules.

41. (original) The method of claim 24, further comprising:

transmitting the vehicle control information to at least one of: (i) another vehicle device, and (ii) another operator.

42. (original) The method of claim 24, wherein said receiving is performed via at least one of: (i) a wireless communication device, (ii) a Bluetooth device, (iii) an Internet device, (iv) a telephone device, (v) a vehicle device, (vi) a portable computing device, (vii) a personal digital assistant, and (viii) a pager.

43. (original) The method of claim 24, further comprising:

storing the vehicle control information.

44. (currently amended) A vehicle device, comprising:

a processor; and

a storage device in communication with said processor and storing instructions adapted to be executed by said processor to:

receive vehicle control information associated with an operator of a vehicle~~, the vehicle control information being dependent on at least one of: (i) time information, (ii) operator information, and (iii) vehicle information~~; and

arrange for the vehicle control information to be provided to an operator.

45. (original) The vehicle device of claim 44, wherein said storage device further stores a vehicle device database.

46. (original) The vehicle device of claim 44, further comprising:

a communication device coupled to said processor and adapted to communicate with at least one of: (i) another vehicle device, (ii) an information controller, (iii) a payment device, and (iv) a third-party device.

47. (original) The vehicle device of claim 44, further comprising:

an input device coupled to said processor and adapted to receive information from the operator; and

an output device coupled to said processor and adapted to provide information to the operator.

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48. (currently amended) A medium storing instructions adapted to be executed by a processor to perform a method of distributing vehicle control information, said method comprising:

receiving vehicle control information associated with an operator of a vehicle ~~at a vehicle device, the vehicle control information being dependent on at least one of: (i) time information, (ii) operator information, and (iii) vehicle information~~; and

arranging for the vehicle control information to be provided to an operator.

49 through 60. (canceled)

61. (new) A method of distributing vehicle control information, comprising:

determining vehicle control information associated with an operator age; and

transmitting the vehicle control information to a vehicle device.

62. (new) A method of distributing vehicle control information, comprising:

determining vehicle control information associated with an operator license; and

transmitting the vehicle control information to a vehicle device.

63. (new) A method of distributing vehicle control information, comprising:

determining vehicle control information associated with operator insurance information; and

transmitting the vehicle control information to a vehicle device.

64. (new) A method of distributing vehicle control information, comprising:

determining vehicle control information associated with an operator preference; and

transmitting the vehicle control information to a vehicle device.